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PIN ATTACK ON **BOY TO SLAYER**

Police Believe Negro Who Killed Mrs. Mann Assaulted Youth Near Same Spot.

With a score of detectives working day and night in an effort to capture the negro who beat to death with a club and flint stone Mrs. Gertrude Harrison Mann last Thursday, another attack made on a boy on March 5 in the vicinity of Cleveland Park is attributed to the assailant

of the music teacher. The attack on the boy, whose name is withheld by the police, occurred in close proximity to the scene where Mrs. Mann was slain.

Attacked In Daylight.

Like Mrs. Mann, the boy was attacked in daylight, and he gave the police a description of the negro, declaring that he would be able to identify him if he should be captured. Another development in the case teday was the admission made by de-

tectives that a stout cord, such as is used in binding wheat, was found tied about Mrs. Mann's throat. A handkerchief also was found and which the police believed was used by the negro as a gag to prevent Mrs. Mann from making any outcry.
That both the cord and a handkerchief were used by Mrs. Mann's as sallant gives ground for the police theory that the woman's brutal assailant tried to strangle her when he attempted to accomplish a purpose other than robbery.

Every effort is being made today find where the cord used by Mrs. Mann's assailant came from. Inquiry is being made by Detectives O'Brien, Kelly, Scrivener and Thomp son, at stores and shops where cord

Recalls Other Crimes.

connection with the investigation the police recall that the negro who attacked Miss Louise Simmons. colored teacher at the Reno School, last July, tied a string of ribbon around her throat in an effort to strangle her and prevent outcries when he attempted to outrage her. Lewis Randall, a negro, identified by Miss Simmons as her assailant on

that occasion, today faces the gallows, he having been convicted of a crime against Mrs. Bessie Gleason, of Nicholson street. Mrs. Gleason for a time was not sure of the identificaion of Randall, stating she believed he "looked like the man who assaulther." Later, however, she positively identified Randall as her assailant and it was on this final identification that Randall was convicted and sentenced to be hanged. Randall never has been tried for the Sim-

Because of the similarity of the crimes committed against women in the suburbs of the Capital last summer with the one against Mrs. Mann, many members of the police force believe that the negro who terrorized the women last July has again made his appearance, having been under "cover" during the winter months. Expect Arrest.

The description of the assailant of Mrs. Mann fits that given by two women and the boy of the negro who attacked them, taking handbags from the former while they were walking in secluded spots of Cleveland Park recently. With the capture of this negro, the detectives believe they may be able to clear up the identity Mrs. Mann's assailant.

"This man will be caught," declar ed Detective Sergt. Patrick O'Brien, who, with Detectives Kelly, Scrivener and Thompson, are working on the "We have information which we believe will result in his capture But despite this fact, it was said

that the identity of the negro still puzzles the police, it being intimated he has baffled them. There was no one in the vicinity of the scene where give a description of the woman's as-

A woman of Northwest Washington told the police that six months ago, she noticed a negro, carrying a club, similar to that used by Mrs. Mann's Cleveland Park-but that was six of the board of education. months ago. This statement further strengthens the theory of many of the er strong arguments on both sides detectives that the same negro who and a motion to lay it on the table attacked women in Washington's suburbs last summer attacked Mrs.

Women Carry Pistols.

Other detectives, however, are just as insistent that Randall is the negro ho attacked Miss Simmons and Mrs.

Since the slaying of Mrs. Mann at Cleveland Park last Thursday, wom en not only in that vicinity, but in other suburbs, are using every precaution against similar attacks. Many of them when compelled to go out are carrying revolvers. A num ber of policemen also have been tem porarily added to the Tenleytown force, with instructions to arrest any the purse snatcher and the one

Six negroes already have been arrested as suspects, but after being questioned have been released. At on today, it was said that the police had not any tangible clew against anyone in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Mann.

Because of the absence of any tangible evidence on which to place the responsibility for the slaying of Mrs. Mann, Dr. J. Ramsay Nevitt, District coroner, has postponed until an indefinite date, an inquest in the

The body of Mrs. Mann today was taken to her former home at Galesburg, Ill., for burial.

BOY HIT BY AUTO.

Struck by an automobile while playing in front of his home last night, stewart Clark, four years old, 154 Kalorama road northwest, suffered slight bruises to the head.

Young Negro Shoots Wife and Self After Early Morning "Spat"

After firing two bullets from a revolver into the body of his wife, Robert Pium, coored, twenty-two years old, 224 Second street northwest, attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head this morn-

Jennie Plum, eighteen years old, his wife, is in a critical con-dition at the Emergency Hospital, and the would-be slaver and suicide is dying at the Casualty Hos-

The shooting was the result of the woman repulsing Plum this morning, when he asked her if she "No, I don't love you. Get out of here." the woman is said to

A moment later Plum whipped a revolver from his pocket and fired three shots at his wife, two of which took effect. Believing he had killed her, Plum then fired bullet into his brain, according

Campaign to Restore Ancient City Receives Substantial Support at Meeting.

Inaugurating the campaign Washington's quota of \$80,000 of the proposed \$10,000,000 Palestine restoration fund, leading Hebrews of the city at a meeting held in the Eighth Street Temple last evening raised over \$42,000.

Work of securing subscriptions to complete the quota will be continued daily and it is expected that the sum desired will be secured before the scheduled campaign of three weeks has been expended.

Rev. Dr. Abram Simon, rabbi of the Eighth Street Temple was one of the principal speakers at the meeting last evening and during the course of his remarks declared that if Palestine can be changed into a land o prosperity and achievement the move now in hand "will have taken the first step toward restoring the glories of a race whose great contribution to civlization has been marked with untold suffering of its people during the later

Frank J. Hogan, Elisha Freedman, Rabbi G. Silverstone, Alexander Wolf, and Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver also spoke during the meeting. Mr. Wolf

Emile Berliner, chairman of the local committee who is in Canads. telegraphed his deep interest, and support and a letter was also read rom Secretary of War Newton D.

One subscription amounting to \$24,-000, it is announced has been made by a man prominent in Washington official life, while Mr. Berliner gave \$10,000.

Other subscribers who gave \$100 and over included: Moses Golder. berg. \$500; Adolph Kahn, \$500; Lieb man Brothers, \$250; G. F. Hellprin. \$250; Mrs. Edward Cohen, \$200; Mrs. James Lansburgh, \$200; Mrs. Alexander Wolf, \$200; Louis Simon, \$200; Frank Hogan, \$100; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sherby, \$100; Simon Atlas, \$100; Harry Levy, \$100, and Mrs. Charles Goldsmith, \$100.

INDORSE THURSTON, ASK VAN SCHAICK'S REMOVAL

Takoma Park Citizens Engage In Vigorous Arguments Over School Issue.

A heated discussion over Dr. John Van Schaick, jr., featured the meet-Mrs. Mann was attacked who could ing of the Takoma Park Citizens' Association last night. Major F. L. Fletcher introduced a

resolution asking that the Senate committee refuse to confirm the nomination of Dr. Van Schaick as District Commissioner and further demanding that he be removed as president

The resolution was passed only aftwas defeated. This was followed by a resolution

of Dr. A. C. Gore, indorsing Ernest L. Thurston as superintendent of schools, which was adopted unani-Reports on plans for a community

Takoma Park Band were heard. MAY PROBE ATTACKS BY

Authorities Fail to Find Sailors Who Assaulted G. O. P. Con-

vention Reporter.

SERVICE MEN IN CAPITAL

Unless the authorities apprehend the sailors who assaulted George L. Hart, recently appointed official porter to the Republican National Convention, members of the House Naval Affairs Committee declare an investigation of this and other attacks on residents of Washington by service men will be investigated. Congressman Venable, of the Naval

Efforts to identify the two petty officers of the navy who attacked Mr. Hart, as he was on his way home with his wife, have proved futile. Affairs Committee, accompanied Mrs. Hart yesterday to the Navy Yard in an effort to identify the men. Upon heir failure to do so, he warned that unless the culprits are apprehended in the next few days he would de-

mand an investigation. old, 154 Admiral A. W. Grant, commandant suffered of the Navy Yard, has promised to co-operate with the police.

LOOK US OVER, THEN BUY A TAG TOMORROW

WASHINGTON, TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1920.



Dear Washington: Don't we make an armful, though? M. Curtin (left) and Miss Mary Flaherty (right) told us to 'smile' when The Times photographer called, but some of us were sleepy and some of us just naturally like to cry, because we attract more attention that way. When some pretty girl stops you tomorrow and offers to pin a tag on you, submit to it, please, and then drop a coin

into the bucket. There are 150 of us here and we must be fed and Many of us lost our mothers during the pneumonia epidemic last fall and winter. Our nurses say you are going to love us and

(Message of the babies at St. Ann's Infant Orphan Asylum,

D. C. Suffrage League Mass Meeting Tonight

Launching the local end of its nation-wide drive to obtain the ballot for residents of Washington, the National schools, and John Van Schaick, jr., president of the Board annually will be filled shortly, it be-Press Committee for District of Columbia Suffrage tonight of Education, declare that neither the recent controversy nor matter before the executive commitwill organize the D. C. Suffrage League in the auditorium the Senate investigation will be brought up at the school of Central High School at a mass meeting.

sides in the District of Columbia, and to the District and to what extent a it is believed by members of the press majority of its residents desire it. interest and spirit in Washington will the league will be presented with a add greatly to the impetus which has button of the design appearing else already been aroused throughout the where on this page—an insignia that country through the committee's ac-

Champ Clark To Preside. Starting promptly at "8:30 p. m. the invocation will be pronounced by

the Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman, Chap-lain of the Senate, following which Col. Winfield Jones, president of the liver the welcoming address. Champ Clark, ex-speaker of the who will preside over the meeting , will then deliver an address which will be followed with speeches by Samuel Gompers, President of the E. Lester Jones, District commander of the American Legion and director of the coast and geodedic survey; U. J. Biller, vice president of the Federal Employes' Union; Miss Mary O'Toole, president of the Women's City Club, and John Joy Edson, of the Washington Loan and Trust Company, Justice Wendell Phillips Stafford, of the Supreme Court of the District, will then make the "keynote" speech. Patriotic songs, led by C. S. Wengerd, and accompanied on the organ by Miss Edith B Athey, will close the

Boobar To Speak. John Boobar, president of the Kiwanis Club, will make the organization address. He has promised "to spread" himself and those who have heard him speak when he "lets out" know that if there's one person be tween the Atlantic and the Pacific can convincingly smash home the subject of his address in a style that rivals the far-famed Billy Sunmittee showed characteristic good house and on the organization of the judgment in selecting and requesting represent the District.

program, and the organization of the

Suffrage League will follow.

denotes political liberty for the nation's capital as signified by the torches of freedom flanking the ballot box under the Capitol's dome. That members of Congress as well as a preponderance of the residents of

Washington desire and are striving for enfranchisement can be seen in the following excerpts from letters National Press Committee, will de- of regret written by Senators Capper and Pomerene and Congressman Johnson of South Dakota at being unable to attend tonight's meeting.

Letter From Capper.

Senator Capper: "I wish you to with the purpose of the meeting. By all means the District of Columbia should have representation in Con gress and the electoral college, and you may count on my support." Congressman Johnson: "I take this opportunity to assure you that I am in entire sympathy with the league's object in securing representation in Congress and the Electoral College for the District. There is certain; no reason why the District should be discriminated against in this respect and whenever I have the opportunity of voting on it, I will be on your

aware, I have always favored suffrage, male and female, in the District of Columbia and I still enter-The National Press Committee will soon have a voting machine which it Indiana. election at which "Senators," day, it's John Boobar. The press com- gressmen," and "delegates to the elec- Monarch Charles Shackelford and toral college" will be "elected" to others.

Senator Pomerene: "As you are

LABOR PLAYS HANDS OFF UNIFORMED RED CROSS WOMEN GATHER TODAY IN DISTRICT SCHOOL ROW

Woodrow Wilson Among Central Figures in Annual Mobilization.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Newton D. Baker, Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Mrs. George Barnett, and Miss Mabel T. Boardman will be the central figures in the annual mobilization of the Uniform Corps of the District of Columbia Chapter, A. R. C., which takes place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Masonic Auditorium, Thirteenth street and New York avenue.

Every seat on the stage and in the auditorium has been disposed of, More than t n different uniforms worn by the women of the chapter will be represented, including that of the new service of which Mrs. Seaton Schroeder is chairman.

Following the reading of three-minute reports by the various heads of each department or section, moving pictures will be shown of Red Cross the Private Sailors and Soldiers' Le activities at home and abroad. gion was refused last night.

Various Unions Agree Not to Take Any Part in Thurston-Van Schaick Controversy.

Labor Union last night. By this decision the various unions agree not to enter into the fight between the two school officials. Samuel Gompers, president of the

American Federation of Labor, will preside at a political labor meeting at 1006 E street Monday night, according to announcement by W. W. Keeler president of the Central Labor Union It had been reported erroneously that this meeting was to be held last night. The union decided to send 400 delegates to the mass meeting for District of Columbia suffrage tonight at Cen-tral High School. Mr. Gompers will be one of the speakers. A request that the Central Labor Union give its official indorsement to

Twenty-third and K streets northwest.)

Public on Edge For

To Be Organized At 'New Developments' at School Board Meeting

board session tomorrow, the meeting, nevertheless, will be Membership in the local organiza-, him to show the people of Washing- one of the most interesting, from the viewpoint of human

When the board gathers in its end of the session, as the board passes special room in the Franklin School to formally approve recommendations the audience in front of the nine educators will watch keenly the expressions on the faces of the president and other members known to oppose Mr. Thurston.

Every glance and every act of President Van Schaick will be subject to criticism by his opponents who attend every board meeting. Unless all predictions fail, it will be a difficult matter to keep down "side comment and open expressions of views. On the other hand, every move of Superintendent Thurston will be scrutinized as closely.

It will be an odd line-up tomorrow know that I am in entire sympathy When the board goes into "informal

quietly from one room to another, the spectators will watch keenly to determine if possible the mood of each member and of Superintendent

When President Van Schaick calls the meeting to order, at one corner of the board table will sit Mr. Thurston. opposed by seven members who want him out of the schools; just a few feet away will sit Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, whom Mr. Van Schaick admitted before the Senate committee wanted off the board; then will he wanted off the board; then will be Mrs. G. Spaulding Gerry, Mrs. Coralie Cook, Dr. Charles P. Neill, Dr. . Hayden Johnson. Near by will be Dr. Abram Simon, who voted "No" on the resolution to get rid of Thurston, and then will come Fountain Peyton conference," with the public barred, who has not publicly announced his then the comments will begin. At the

KALLIPOLIS GROTTO **DEGREE TEAM DINE**

then the comments will begin. At the

75 Members, Including Glee Club.

Setenty-five members of the de-Congressman Brooks has purchased for the purpose of in-structing Washington's residents in tentate of Almas Temple, Mystic It plans to hold a pseudo Shrine, the Rev. Hugh T. Stevenson

> Senator Arthur Capper, one of the most recent additions to the ranks of the local grotto, was unable to bo present. An entertainment furnished by local and professional talent completed the program. Monarch Stevens announced that

> Past Grand Monarch Ed Schmid, Past

the wives and daughters of the "prophets" would be given an op-portunity to see just how the rigorous initiatory ceremonies of the order were conducted at a full ceremonial session to be held at the New Willard Hotel on May 17. A record-breaking attendance is an A "hands off" policy in the Thur-ston-Van Schaick controversy was de-cided upon at a meeting of the Central Labor Union last nicht. Park in the New Willard tomorrow night

> To Supply the Demand For Copies of the Report of the Reclassification Commission-The Times has republished

the section of the issue of Friday, March 12, containing this article. Copies will be furnished without charge to those who call at The Times office.

TRIBUTE TO BANKHEAD. Memorial services for Senator John

H. Bankhead will be held by Washing-ton Camp No. 111, United Confederate Memorial Home. Col. Joseph Baum Monarch Charles A. Stevens Host to er will deliver the eulogy to the late

> HIT BY STREET CAR. A. Crossen, seventy-two years

gree team and glee club of Kallipolis struck by a street car of the Capital Grotto were the personal guests of Traction Company, at Pennsylvania Monarch Charles A. Stevens at Har- avenue and Third street northwest, vey's last night. Addresses were de-livered by Congressman Fairfield of gency Hospital.

LEARN The Truth About Ulster

Rev. J. A. H. Irwin Pastor Killead Presbyterian Church, near Belfast, Ireland,

LIBERTY HUT ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT. Wednesday, March 17, 1920, at 8 o'Clock.

Other Speakers:

Senator George W. Norris, Ne-braska; Rev. Levi M. Powers, pas-tor Church of Our Father (Uni-versalist), of the District of Co-Irish Music and Songs.

Admission Free.

FREE CLINIC Washington School of CHIROPRACTIC

The regular clinic is now open Tuesday,
Thursday and Friday evenings of every
week from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.
All acute and chronic cases will be treated free of charge.

Charwomen Leading In Purchase of U.S. **War Savings Stamps**

Charwomen are buying more war savings stamps, in proportion to their salaries, than any other class of workers, Mrs. Charlotte B. Eldridge, director of war loan for the District of Columbia, announced today, in checking up on the report of sales. The records show they buy from \$41 to \$51 worth of war savings stamps a

The Treasury Department hopes to continue the sale of war sav-ings stamps. Stamps are now in the third issue. A fourth issue

FORM FEDERATION health and nutrition among 712 white and 312 colored children of ten years of age, in the public schools here

of New Organization—Other Officers Chosen.

Organization of the Washington Federation of Churches was effected at a meeting held in Mt. Vernon M. E. Church, South, last evening, when obtain more accurate figures. sixty-eight churches joined the movement and a buget of \$9,000 was adopt-Dr. Charles Wood, pastor of the Church of the Covenant, was elected president; Rev. Earle Wilfley, first vice president; Rev. H. F. Randolph,

second vice president; Hugh A. Thrift,

third vice president; W. W. Millan, as a result, are underweight, under fourth vice president; Rev. H. H. height, have bad food habits, and are lanck, secretary and W. McK. Stow-Chairmen of committees were vangelistic: Merritt O. Chance, regious education; Rev. A. R. Bird, nissions, and J. R. Hildebrand, pubicity. Others besides the officers and committee chairmen who were made

committee which will also choose chairmen for the following committees: Social service, women's social service, and women's missionary The need for health work, Dr. societies. Two women members will Bryant declared, is not confined to

nembers of the executive committee

nclude, Rev. G. I. Humphreys, Wash-

Although both Ernest L. Thurston, superintendent of the organization which is expected to pay in the neighborhood of \$4,000 ing regarded as the most important

> Want Local Man. There has been some talk of securbut the concensus of opinion of promocal man should by all means be

to the city and taking up a work so coupled with tough tooth brush drills; thoroughly local would take several and a further special study of age and years to get his complete bearings progress and their relation to health and as a result much time would be and nutrition. lost in securing actual results. E. L. Stark make up the finance com-mittee upon whom will devolve the The resolution was turned over to raising of the yearly budget. It is the executive committee, with the estimated that \$6,500 of the neces-club taking no action. sary \$9,000 has been pledged, and Mr.

Majority of Pupils Underfed, Investigator Tells Monday Evening Club.

Warm lunches should be available n every school in Washington, and medical inspection of children should be more frequent and thorough, say: the report of Dr. Louise Bryant, Ph D., of the Child Health Association who has just completed a study of health and nutrition among 712 white Dr. Bryant's report was read be

Dr. Charles Wood is President fore the Monday Evening Club last night by Miss Marie Rose, ausociate director of the Child Health organization. ization. Dr. Joseph A. Murphy, chief medical inspector in the schools, and Dr. William C. Fowler, District Health Officer, took issue with several parts of the report in which percentages of defects among children were given. The health officers believe a study of the children at ould be made by medical men in order to

> Backward in Studies. According to Dr. Bryant's report, out of the 1,024 children examined, 54 cent of the colored have anemia. Tw report asserts that many children ty

ten-year-old child should be in the fourth grade Physical defects are most numerous Bryant stated.

50 per cent retarded in their studies.

It was pointed out that the average

The percentage of defects found among the 1,024 children examined were: Teeth, 68 per cent; adenoids, 34 nclude, Rev. G. I. Humphreys, Wash-ngton Topham, and William Knowles 28 per cent; defective nasal breathing, 21 per cent; cervical glands, 28 One additional vice president is to e elected shortly by the executive cent, and speech, 2 per cent. Eleven per cent of the white and 4 per cent of the colored, have had their teeth

treated.
The need for health work, Dr.

Urges Medical Inspection Dr. Bryant urged increased medical nspection, such inspection to be universal and systematic; continuation of health crusades and instruction of normal school students in ways to preserve health; establishment of clinics; weighing and measuring of ing an out-of-town man for the place, children periodically, with record of weight and height sent to child's improve physical condition of the child; establishment of dental clinics In this connection, it has been in all parts of the city and instruc pointed out, that a new man coming tion to children in dental hygiene,

The club last night would not ap A. A. Chapin, Hugh L. Thrift and prove a resolution calling for a sur-

The secretary was instructed to send Chapin announced last evening that a letter of condolence to the parents he would guarantee the raising of of Raymond W. Pullman, late police the additional funds needed.

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Money saved is money made. Meats on sale in my markets will stand the most rigid inspection. I tell you the best meat values are in my markets. Get busy!

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Top Rib Roast	Fruits and Vegetables
Hamburg Steak	Fresh Shoulders 23c lb. All-Pork Sausage Meat . 30c lb. Loin Pork Roast 32c lb. Machine Sliced Bacon 38c lb. Corned Pigs Feet 45c doz.
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Oysters Smoked Shoulders 20c lb. Loin Pork Chops 35c lb. Fancy Breakfast Bacon, strips, half or whole . \ 31c lb. Spare Ribs25c lb.

Porterhouse 29c lb. Shoulder Clod 22c lb. Plate Beef10c lb. Boneless Pot Roast . . . 20c lb.

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